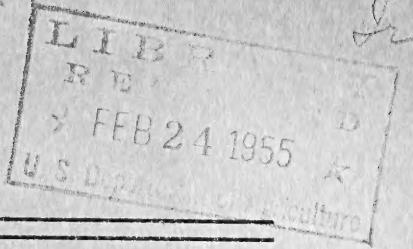


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McDONALD NURSERIES

HOME OF

REGISTER DAYLILIES

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HEMEROCALLIS

Beauty for a day, you say?
But I say not for just a day—
You forget those shiny ebony seeds,
Lovelier than any bright onyx beads.
You forget those emerald fair wings
As they first appear for their earthly fling.
So soon they become a ramet, a fan,
So rich and broad and green beside the path of man.
You forget the tiny curled scape
As it slowly unfurls for beauty's gay escape.
Ne'er can you forget those buds—tiny, but like the fern fronds,
Some so pale, so dainty, some rare, holding beauty untold.
Then the first flower—so pale, or bright or very bold.
Beauty for a day, you say?
No, I say, not for just a day,
But beauty for each true gardener from May till May.

V.P.R.

FOREWORD

Greetings to all our old friends and customers, and to those of you who are new on our mailing list.

We want to take this opportunity to thank our many customers for your interest in our Hemerocallis varieties and for your expressions of satisfaction and appreciation of our plants. We hope that in this list you will find other varieties that you are anxious to grow.

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1954 INTRODUCTIONS

McDonald Nurseries is happy again in releasing Mrs. Register's newest Daylily introductions. They have been tested in Valdosta gardens, in our own test plots, and in various parts of the country.

The Register strain of *Hemerocallis*, introduced in 1951 for the first time, were enthusiastically received in Valdosta and other localities. We believe these are "Individuals" in the *Hemerocallis* world. They are unique in color and form and are receiving warm praise wherever they are being grown.

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Sherry—26"—Large clear yellow—excellent for front of border. Resistant to sun and wind \$10.00

Pink Veil—32"—Creamy yellow with faint pink overcast—attractive display on established clumps \$10.00

Triton—27"—formerly No. 16—Very dark bluish purple seedling with blue predominating. Winner of 1951 show. This variety will be released for sale in Fall, 1954.

Gay Knight—36"—Red and yellow bi-color, green throat. Flowers have a gay freshness that attracts much attention \$ 3.00

1953 INTRODUCTIONS

Valdosta Beauty—40"	—A very large blend; dark red predominating; strong scapes; has unusually long blooming period. (not subject to discount)	\$10.00
Peace—36"	—Light cream self, petals have very light mid-rib—excellent branching	\$10.00
Vedette—36"	—Dark reddish blend—unusually heavy waxed texture. Petals have very distinct mid-rib—very outstanding in the garden	\$10.00
Autumn Fires—46"	—A swan seedling, bi-color of burnt orange and dusty yellow with deep purple eye zone—outstanding	\$ 7.50
Obi—40"	—Very large blend of reddish orange with purple veining. Open flowers give appearance of large bow on Japanese sash	\$ 7.50
Spring Song—46"	—Very large yellow self. Good bloomer. Remains open in evenings. Voted outstanding yellow in Register garden in 1951	\$ 5.00
Dragon Fly—34"	—Bi-Color, sepals chrome, petals rust brown slightly pinched	\$ 3.00
Siren—48"	—Lovely bi-color—Petals purple, sepals yellow brushed with purple. Sun resistant. Distinctive flower	\$ 5.00
Claudette—30"	—Canary yellow, petals have glistening sheen, sepals brushed cinnamon, two petals recurve slightly, one slightly pinched	\$ 3.00
Pharos—42"	—Truly a lighthouse in the garden. Light orange self, halo in throat. A most persistant bloomer, resistant to sun and wind	\$ 3.00
Sammy's Minuet—30"	—Small brownish flowers; early bloomer. Petals and sepals slightly recurved	\$ 3.00
Georgia Beauty	—A polychrome, brownish red petals have slight mid-rib and deep purple eye-zone	\$ 3.00

1951-1952 INTRODUCTIONS

Royal Toga —Midseason 44"—evergreen—Very dark royal purple self; light green throat. Heavy texture has appearance of lustrous velvet. Stays open evenings	\$10.00
Night Life —38"—Large light yellow self. Opens in early evening and remains open throughout next day. Excellent as parent plant	\$10.00
Georgia Queen —36"—Dark red flower with deep purple eye zone and deep purple mid-rib. Sulphur yellow throat, graceful erect scapes.	\$ 5.00
Garden King —32"—Dark purple self with blue overtone. Green throat. Pollen parent of Triton. Very satisfactory	\$ 5.00
Mrs. Winn —Brownish purple polychrome; deep purple eye zone; yellow throat; rapid increase. Best results when protected from mid day sun	\$ 1.00
Named and Registered but only on display now: Golden Elegance; Brown Jewel; Triumphant; Triton; Persis.	

GENERAL HEMEROCALLIS LIST

Allapattah —Watkins—Dark maroon—large	\$ 1.50
Angelus —Wheeler—Light sulphur yellow, chartreuse throat	\$ 3.00
Annis V. Russell —Russell—Large, clear yellow	\$ 1.00
Annette —Russell—Mahogany red, recurrent red	\$ 1.00
Aurantiaca —Stout—Early orange, heavy texture75
Autumn Red —Nesmith—Late bloomer; Vandyke red	\$ 1.00
Aphrodite —Taylor—Very large tannish red	\$ 3.00
Ballet Dancer —Nesmith—Dainty, charming orchid pink	\$ 3.00
Battle Cry —Russell—Dark red. Showy in garden75
Billy Burke —Wheeler—Deep rose and yellow bi-color	\$ 3.50
Black Emperor —Russell—Dark red	\$ 1.50
Black Prince —Russell—Reddish purple, dark75
Bountiful —Cook—Lovely lemon yellow, low	\$ 1.00
Black Hills —Russell—Reddish purple, strong scapes	\$ 1.00
Brackel —Wheeler—Mahogany and tan, brocaded overlay	\$ 3.00
Blanche Hooker —Stout—Bright red. Remontant bloomer	\$ 2.00

Brocade —Taylor—Beautiful pink, exquisite brocaded texture	\$ 5.00
Brandywine —Wheeler—Rich, dark wine. Broad petals	\$ 3.00
Caballero —Stout—One of the best bi-colors, rose and yellow	\$ 1.50
Carnival —Russell—Red, semi-dwarf	\$ 1.00
Cellini —Wheeler—Very light, smooth, canary yellow	\$ 8.00
Cerise —Wheeler—Rosy crimson, overcast on scarlet	\$ 5.00
Colima —Russell—Pretty red flower. Excellent bloomer75
Clarion —Viette—Deep rose pinks, tall	\$ 1.00
Corraline —Nesmith—Deep rosy pinks	\$ 3.00
Crown of Gold —Nesmith—Very early rich gold75
Daisy Whistler —Sligh—large coppery red75
Dauntless —Stout—Large soft yellow, fragrant75
Dorothy McDade —Sass—Tall bright yellow	\$ 1.00
Duncan —Wheeler—Early, darkest maroon	\$ 1.50
Duchess of Windsor —Traub—Creamy yellow, wide petals	\$ 1.00
Easter Morn —Wheeler—Tall, rounded flowers, rich yellow	\$ 5.00
Elvena Slossom —Taylor—Prima Donna seedling, lovely	\$ 8.00
Fantasia —Stout—Twisted dark petals, chartreuse throat	\$ 1.00
Ganymede —Wheeler—Raspberry rose	\$.500
George Kelso —Traub—Deep yellow and brown bi-color	\$ 2.00
Golden West —Sass—Tall bright yellow, good parent	\$ 1.00
Grandiflora —Finlayson—Beautiful golden yellow	\$ 1.00
Gunga Din —Taylor—Two-tone red purple, sun resistant	\$ 3.00
Halo —Wheeler—Triangular shaped yellow, cinnamon halo	\$ 1.50
Hazel Sawyer —Wheeler—Laurel pink. Prolific	\$ 1.50
Helen Fischer —Taylor—Soft apricot banded with red	\$ 4.00
Hiawatha —Stout—Sprays of small orange blooms	\$ 1.00
Honey Redhead —Nesmith—Very showy red, cream borders ...	\$ 1.50
Hyperion —Mead—Very large lemon yellow, fragrant75
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Kanapaha —Watkins—Clear cardinal red, recurrent blooms	\$ 2.50

Lena B Hoover —Russell—Pansy purple with veining	\$ 1.00
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Lights of Paris —Russell—Golden yellow. Tip of petals red	\$ 1.50
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Marco Polo —Lester—Heavy velvet red	\$ 2.50
Margaret —Cook—Large light buff yellow	\$ 1.00
Midas —Stout—Tall glowing orange75
Ming Toy —Pure red, semi-dwarf, early	\$ 2.50
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Peach Blush —Lester—Blended colors of ripe peach	\$ 2.00
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Princess —Stout—Palest lemon yellow, very good	\$ 1.50
Prima Donna —Taylor—Large peach colored, excellent texture	\$10.00
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Purple Sage —Russell—Very dark and showy, ruffled petals	\$ 1.00
Purple Waters —Russell—Wine purple, good	\$ 1.00

Radiant —Yeld—Clear orange, excellent substance50
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Show Girl —Wheeler—Large orchid pink, light mid-rib	\$ 7.50
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Soudan —Stout—True yellow, ruffled petals	\$ 1.00
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Starlight —Nesmith—Tall, well branched, palest yellow	\$ 2.00
Sunset Glow —Taylor—Large, round flower, color of sunset ...	\$ 3.00
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